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PEACE IN OCTOBER?

From London comes the report that the German emperor has made the statement that the war will end in October. According to the Times the statement was made to a deputation of bankers who had insisted on an interview in order to point out to the emperor the financial difficulties of the situation and the grave risk attending the continuance of the campaign through another winter. The bankers are said to have declared that even if the war could be brought to an end immediately and indemnity obtained, Germany's position would be difficult, but if the war is prolonged the German empire will become utterly bankrupt.

And who can say but that the other warring nations may be facing the same problem and that their resources are becoming exhausted. On the other hand, looking at the vast orders recently placed in this country for munitions of war to be delivered within the next two years, it looks as if there are no immediate prospects for peace. The people of this country hope the Kaiser is right, this time, and that the war will end in October.—Wichita Eagle.

COMIC SIDE OF THAW CASE.

If a popular vote were taken it is highly probable that the vast majority of the American people would support almost any measure whereby Harry Thaw could be removed from the limelight. Newspaper readers have become thoroughly nauseated by recurring outbreaks of Thaw "dope" for seven or eight years and no doubt they would welcome the announcement that he is a closed issue. However, Harry is still on the stage and a few more chapters of the story will have to be written before he retires from the stage.

We don't suppose anybody would contend that Harry was ever worth the smallest fraction of the space that he has occupied in the papers. But for his millions he would long since have been vindicated under the "unwritten law" or have been made to pay the penalty for his crime. His money made it possible for him to

keep up his fight for freedom and hence he has been a prolific news-maker.

Murder is by no means an uncommon thing in this country. The tragedy in which Thaw was the principal actor was not of sufficient importance to make it worth all the publicity that has been given it, but through the "law's delays" the long drawn out drama took on the nature of a comedy which is even more serious than the original tragedy. Nobody who has followed the case with all the maneuvers of high priced lawyers and the conflicting testimony of equally well paid alienists can have failed to have been impressed by the ludicrous side of it as one of the processes for meeting out justice.

What becomes of Thaw is a matter of no great moment but this comic phase of the proposition is an issue of vital concern to the country. If the proceedings in the case have the effect of causing the people to see more clearly the absurdity of our cumbersome court methods of dealing with criminals and make them recognize the necessity for reforms in our judicial system, the space that has been given to Harry has not been entirely wasted.

"ANTI-ENLISTMENT."

An eastern organization, calling itself the "Anti-Enlistment League," is pledging young men never, under any circumstances, to join the army or navy. It is naturally arousing a storm of criticism, which doesn't all, by any means, come from jingoists or militarists.

It seems strange that any American, knowing the American history and supposedly animated by American traditions, could deliberately take such a pledge. We are a peaceful nation, but we have never been so obsessed with the idea of peace that we were willing to swear that we would never fight under any provocation whatsoever.

If such a doctrine had prevailed in 1776 there would have been no Declaration of Independence, and no United States of America. If it had prevailed in 1812 we should have submitted tamely to Great Britain's aggressions

and been permanently deprived of the freedom of the sea. If it had prevailed in 1861 slavery would have continued or the union would have been disrupted—probably both. If our young men had been so pacific at the time of our Spanish war, the Cubans might still be subject to foreign butchers and tyranny.

There are two kinds of war—aggressive and defensive. No great nation has ever repudiated the latter. Even China does not object on principle to defending herself. The doctrine of turning the other cheek may be work for individuals, in a civilized society, but the behavior of nations toward each other is still so barbarous that no country pledged to tame submission could preserve its independence.

If we ever go to war again, it will be in honest self-defense. We shall then need soldiers, not peace orators. Any man who disqualifies himself now from doing his duty in such a time of need is doing a shameful and unpatriotic thing. What we need is men willing and eager to enlist—and just as eager to preserve peace after enlistment.—Tulsa Democrat.

EXPRESS PACKETTES.

With threshers hummin' near and far,
And fruit to fill up every jar,
While prospects for the corn are bright,
Say, why not sing in sheer delight?

Be good to the faithful horse these hot days.

Still, it might be hotter. Don't grumble.

St. Simp says he notices that he is always cleaner after he takes his Saturday night bath.

Uncle Hi says every time Ma catches him at it he decides that liein' is poor policy.

If you will just keep tab on 'em, you will find that St. Simp is the only fellow who gets off Simpisms.

It isn't always exactly piety that prompts the curious crowd to listen to the street preacher.

Keep after 'em, Mr. Mayor. There are some places along the streets where the weeds look like young timber.

One reason why some men and women are like children is because they don't know enough to control their temper.

For the time being the P. H. & C. L. outfit are monopolizing the limelight, overshadowing the Sit-and-Arge aggregation, but the latter will come to the front again as soon as the German situation becomes a little more critical.

And some fellows who were never able to wake up early enough on Sunday morning to get to church on time have no trouble at all in getting out for a 6 o'clock golf game.

If they will just keep quiet for a few days over in the battlefields, it will give the eagle-eyed reporters a chance to find Catherine Winters

again. An item a few days ago indicated that they are ready to resume the chase.

STORIES OF THE DIAMOND

CITY LEAGUE.

Standing of the Teams.

	W.	L.	Pct.
Oilers	4	1	.800
Typos	3	2	.600
Rock Island	2	2	.500
Barbers	0	4	.000

WESTERN ASSOCIATION.

Standing of the Teams.

	W.	L.	Pct.
Denison	55	37	.598
Oklahoma City	54	42	.562
Muskogee	50	42	.543
Sherman	48	44	.522
Tulsa	47	48	.495
Paris	46	48	.484
Ft. Smith	44	49	.472
McAlester	31	64	.327

Results Yesterday.

Sherman 0, Oklahoma 4.
Denison 6, Muskogee 1.
Paris 1, Ft. Smith 4.
McAlester 6, Tulsa 1.

AMERICAN LEAGUE.

Standing of the Teams.

	W.	L.	Pct.
Boston	50	29	.633
Chicago	53	31	.631
Detroit	50	31	.617
Washington	43	29	.594
New York	40	40	.500
St. Louis	39	49	.438
Philadelphia	29	51	.363
Cleveland	28	53	.346

Results Yesterday.

Chicago 2, Boston 5.
Detroit 11, Philadelphia 7.
Cleveland 22, Washington 4-1.
St. Louis-New York, rain.

NATIONAL LEAGUE.

Standing of the Teams.

	W.	L.	Pct.
Philadelphia	41	34	.547
Chicago	43	36	.544
Cincinnati	42	37	.530
Pittsburg	39	40	.494
St. Louis	41	42	.494
New York	37	38	.493
Boston	37	43	.463
Cincinnati	32	42	.433

Results Yesterday.

No games scheduled.

We wish to apologize

To our friends and customers for our inability to wait on you Saturday. While we put ten or twelve new people on to take care of the rush but the crowd was so great our help was entirely inadequate.

The Sale will go on all this week

and if you was here and could not get attention, please call again. And to those who have not been in, let us urge you to come, as this is the king of all sales, we have ever put on in the way of cut prices.

Eagle Mercantile Company

Printers Romp on Barbers

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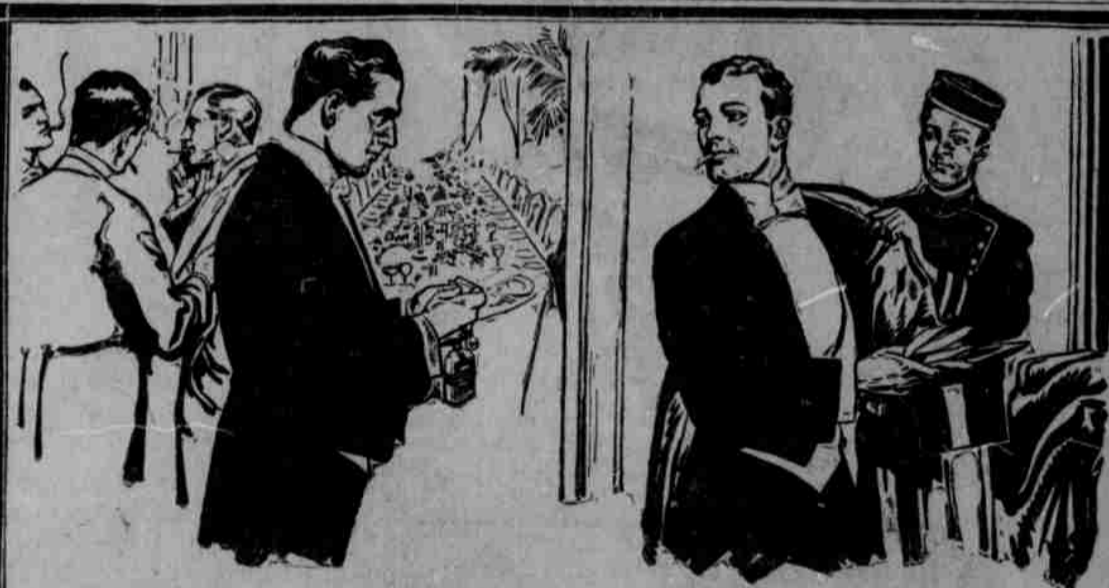
	W.	L.	Pct.
Cosgrove, c-f	6	3	.667
Colbert, c-f	6	2	.750
Granlee, p-rf	3	1	.750
Totals	47	19	.707
Struck out, by McKnight 1, Snell 4, Granlee 4, Lindsay 2. Two base hit, Little. Three base hit, Little. Umpire, Wilmoit.			

Results Yesterday.
Kansas City 10-4, Newark 4-2.
Chicago 4, Buffalo 6.
No other games played.

LOST—A small traveling grip, brown leather; contained clothes. Return to the Wreg Drug Co. 7-19-31

JUST A THOUGHT
ERE THE DAY IS GONE.

To try is better than the thing you try for.
To hope is higher than the height attained.
To love is greater than the love you sigh for.
To seek is nobler than the object gained.
To "wrestle with the angel"—this avails.
Although the motive for the wrestling fails.
—Ruth G. D. Havens.



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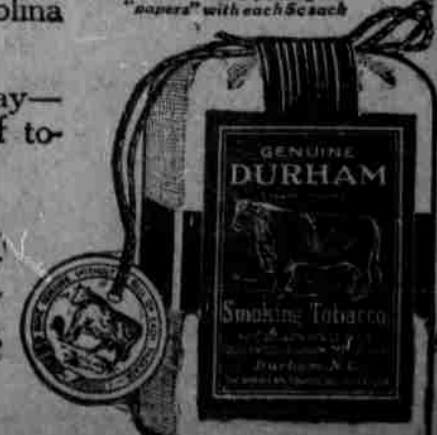
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—Mister Squeegie

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